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SUBJ: TURKISH FOREIGN MINISTER AND OPIUM PROBLEM

REF: A. STATE 57832; B. STATE 57833

1. GRATEFUL FOR WOLFF AND RANGEL TRANSCRIPTS MARCH 18-19 STATEMENTS. HOWEVER, FOREIGN MINISTRY ADVISED US MORNING, MARCH 23, OF ANOTHER STATEMENT MADE BY REPRESENTATIVE WOLFF IN CONGRESS ON MARCH 20. PLEASE SEND FULL TRANSCRIPT ASAP. PLEASE ALSO CONFIRM THAT REFTELS CONTAINED FULL TEXTS OF WHAT WAS SAID ON MARCH 18-19.

2. BASED ON LIMITED INFORMATION WE NOW HAVE, IT IS OUR JUDGEMENT THAT FOREIGN MINISTER'S MESSAGE (ANKARA 2192) IS OVERRREACTION OF INEXPERIENCED AND VOLITILE MAN, PRESUMABLY TRIGGERED BY REPORT FROM AMBASSADOR ESENBEL. WE WILL HAVE TO RESPOND AND INTEND TO DO SO IN COURSE OF NEXT WEEK, MAKING THE OBVIOUS POINTS IN A FIRM BUT LOW-KEY WAY.
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